



In re Application of:

YASUE SATO, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/361,963

Filed: July 28, 1999

For: IMAGE-FORMING APPARATUS HAVING
VENT TUBE AND GETTER (AS AMENDED)

Docket No.: 35.C10695 DIV. I

Examiner: M. Gerike

Group Art Unit: 2879

Date: August 28, 2001

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final Rejection in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	7	MINUS	20	= 0	x \$9 \$18	\$ -0-
INDEP. CLAIMS	1	MINUS	3	= 0	x \$40 \$80	\$ -0-
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$135°/\$270						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$ -0-

°Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.

Charge \$____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

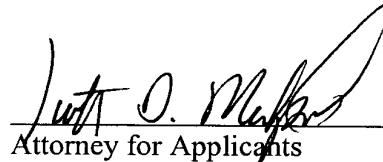
Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$ 890.00 to cover the fee for a THREE month extension is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated February 28, 2001, wherein the period for response having been extended for three months by the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time and extension fee to and including August 28, 2001, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows:

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